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## MINISTERS TELL TRUE CAUSES OF HERRIN TROUBLE

## CLAIM STATES ATTORNEY AND SHERIFF SHOW NEGLIGENCE

HERRIN, Ill., Sept. 1. (AP)—The following statement was issued by the Ministers' Association of Williamson county, after their meeting today:

"The Ministers' Association of Williamson county, Illinois, composed of preachers of all Protestant denominations, feeling that the real situation in this county is misunderstood by the public at large, make this statement setting forth their views, in the hope that it will correct the adequate and sometimes prejudiced reports which have appeared in the press.

"Two years ago Williamson county brought upon itself censure of the entire country as a result of a bitter economic dispute which had ended so tragically. We need not review the causes of that lamentable affair. Law at that time was not supreme and the will of the majority was not finding expression. Since then it has seemed impossible to re-establish the supremacy of law and order in our country.

"A sheriff was elected who allowed the bootleggers, the gamblers, and the houses of ill fame to operate openly. Our state's attorney made little or no effort to curb this wholesale law breaking. The resulting situation was unbearable to law-abiding citizens. An effort was made by the Law Enforcement League to get some action by local officials. Lack of organization made impossible any visible results.

### CITIZENS TAKE HAND

"Prominent men, many of them reported klansmen, then took up the matter to federal authorities and, independent of the local officials, raids by federal deputies on information furnished often times by klansmen, resulted in the conviction of scores of lawbreakers who thought themselves safe. This brought on the bitter feeling between the sheriff and his colleagues, and federal deputies, many, or all, of whom were also klansmen. This has given rise to the popular belief that our controversy is klan and anti-klan. It is really law enforcement thru the legal channels, opposed to non-enforcement by those who are entrusted with that duty. This bitterness caused the assassination of Constable Cneser Cable last February by a mob. Cagle had been active as an officer in cleanup raids all over the county. Later followed the attack on Glen Young and wife while enroute to St. Louis. The next morning special police were guarding the road entering Herrin from the west and were stopping all cars, when information was received that a car answering the description of the one in which Young's assailants were riding, was speeding towards Herrin. On reaching the city limits it was ordered to stop. According to the testimony of the police, they answered by opening fire. The police returned the fire, killed one of the occupants and wounded the other. The car was shown to be a stolen car, contained guns, masks, and "make up," and was taken by the police to the garage of John Smith to be held as evidence.

"Two weeks ago the Herrin City Court convened for the trial of several klansmen indicted for various offenses alleged to have been committed during some of the raids. The case against the Sheltors for the murders of Cagle was also called, but was dismissed when the witness for the prosecution could not be located. Glenn Young failed to appear and his bonds were ordered forfeited. His attorneys claim affidavits of physicians showed good excuse for his absence.

### SHERIFF STARTS TROUBLE

"The sheriff, armed several deputies, among whom were Ora Thomas, was became a deputy the next day after being released from jail where he had served a sentence for bootlegging. Bud Allison, who is commonly regarded as an ex-convict, and other men of this type. A number of leading citizens wishing to prevent the bloodshed which they feared was imminent, wired the governor for help but without effect.

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## AS JUDGE PONDERS LEOPOLD AND LOEB PLAY AT BASEBALL

Caverley Retires as Criminal Chief Justice of Cook County

### AD AS JUDGE

CHICAGO, Sept. 1.—While Nathan Leopold Jr. and Richard Loeb, slayers of young Robert Franks, played baseball in the county jail today, Judge John R. Caverley, who will decide their punishment, retired as chief justice of the criminal court of Cook county.

Judge Caverley who heard the presentation of testimony in the Franks case as his last official act as chief justice, must still render his decision in that case on September 10 but when that is given he will go to the superior court to hear divorce cases.

Judge Jacob Hopkins today succeeded Judge Caverley as chief justice of the criminal court.

Judge Caverley's court room, so recently the scene of milling crowds trying to break into the murder hearing, was almost tomb-like in comparison at the opening ceremony for the new court term today and only a few spectators were present. While Judge Caverley spent the day in seclusion, pondering the evidence that may send Leopold and Loeb to the gallows, the youthful murderers engaged in a crucial baseball game of a jail series, Loeb acting as captain and pitcher while Leopold played first base. Their team won 7 to 2. They then settled a controversy over their skill at checkers, Loeb winning two games out of three.

## DAWES WILL CARRY LAFOLETTE FIGHT INTO HOME STATE

Expects to Enter Wisconsin  
in Near Future For  
Speeches

BLOOMINGTON, Ill., Sept. 1. (AP)—Charles G. Dawes, Republican vice-presidential candidate intends to carry his assault on the LaFollette Independent movement at an early date into Wisconsin, the home state of Senator LaFollette. Mr. Dawes' intentions were known today coincident with the opening of the speaking campaign of the LaFollette ticket with a radio address by Senator LaFollette from Washington and a speech by Senator Wheeler, his running mate on Boston commands.

Mr. Dawes has selected as the subject of his contemplated address, "The Constitution of the United States," and his discussion will be an extensive elaboration of the declaration made his acceptance address that the LaFollette ticket was asking the nation to leave important constitutional moorings to embark again into those contests thru which it was fought up to the establishment of good government."

## DECATUR SEEKS TWO MEN DROWNED IN LAKE

DECATUR, Ill., Sept. 1. (AP)—Searchers headed by city firemen worked three hours tonight dredging Lake Decatur for the bodies of two men reported drowned during a terrific windstorm this afternoon.

The sudden storm which swept the lake with waves three and four feet high caught scores of boats in deep water and made landings difficult. A witness to the reported drowning told police he heard cries for help and saw a small motor boat flounder in deep water.

The search is to be continued tomorrow.

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### RESTAURANT OWNERS MEET IN CHICAGO

Chicago, Sept. 1.—The National Restaurant association convened here today in its sixth annual convention which will continue for five days. Among the subjects to be discussed by leading restaurant owners of the United States will be the matter of tips and the problem of getting the public to carry their meals from restaurants to their homes and eating there. The latter suggestion will be under the direction of A. A. Patten who will talk on "conducting food counters to supply the public at home with your product."

### WEATHER

Illinois: Generally fair Tuesday, preceded by thunderstorms in extreme south portion, somewhat warmer in northwest portions; Wednesday fair and warmer. Temperatures: Jacksonville, Ill., 68 82 65 (34 inch rainfall Monday). New York ..... 84 92 74 Jacksonville, Fla. .... 78 86 76 New Orleans ..... 80 88 76 Chicago ..... 60 70 64 Detroit ..... 74 82 64 Omaha ..... 62 64 60 Minneapolis ..... 66 66 58 Helena ..... 76 78 48 San Francisco ..... 66 68 56 Winnipeg ..... 62 68 40 Cincinnati ..... 74 90 70

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## VIRGIN ISLANDS HURRICANE TOLL REACHES EIGHTY

## SEVERAL HUNDRED INJURED — ALL CROPS BADLY DAMAGED

ST. THOMAS, Virgin Islands, Sept. 1. (AP)—At least 80 persons were killed and many injured and numerous houses were destroyed and material damage done by the hurricane which struck the islands in this vicinity the night of August 28 and raged the following day, according to reports received here.

The reports say that on the Island of Montserrat, in the British Leeward Islands, four persons were killed and 300 houses destroyed. At Saint Jan eight persons met death.

Hundreds of persons on the various islands are homeless and are being sheltered in churches and the police stations.

The cotton, limes, and other crops are declared to have been destroyed or damaged. The government here is sending building materials, food, medical supplies and doctors to the stricken islands. Many injured persons have been brought here for treatment.

## BLOOMINGTON RAINFALL HEAVIEST IN YEARS

BLOOMINGTON, Ill., Sept. 1. (AP)—The records of Professor Harley N. Pierce, government weather observer for this district show that the greatest amount of rainfall in the history of the local bureau was evidenced in this community during the month of August. The total precipitation for the month was 13.73 inches, which is approached only by the record of August 1902 when there was 12.43 inches rainfall. During the storm of two weeks ago a total precipitation of 6.43 inches was recorded in 24 hours.

## WHEELER MAKES FOUR SPEECHES IN BOSTON

BOSTON, Sept. 1. (AP)—Four speeches in Boston and environs served today for the opening of the New England campaign tour of Senator Wheeler, vice-presidential nominee on the LaFollette ticket. The main effort in the open air on Boston Common, brought a straggling but sizeable crowd out on the trail of a heavy rain.

The loudest burst of applause greeted Senator Wheeler's prediction of the election of Senator LaFollette.

## SHIPSTEAD SAYS BOTH PARTIES ARE CORRUPT

TAYLORVILLE, Ill., Sept. 1. (AP)—The Democrats are involved as much as the Republicans in the recent expose of corruption in office, United States Senator Henrik Shipstead of Minnesota said here today.

Speaking for the LaFollette-Wheeler ticket, Senator Shipstead declared the progressive candidates will do what President Coolidge and John W. Davis have promised.

"The Republicans say they want common sense, and the Democrats cry for common honesty, but I don't believe either are sincere," Senator Shipstead said.

### STATE ARMY MEN TO ATTEND MANEUVERS

SPRINGFIELD, Ill., Sept. 1.—Adjudant General Carlos E. Black, Major General Milton J. Foreman, Colonel R. J. Shand, Colonel George C. Amerson and Colonel Arthur E. English will leave Wednesday for Fortress Monroe, Va., to observe maneuvers of the 202nd Artillery Anti-aircraft Illinois National Guard.

### LADY KINDERSLEY CREW SAVED; SHIP ABANDONED

Aboard the U. S. S. Boxer, in Alaskan Arctic, Sunday, Aug. 31. (AP)—The crew of the Lady Kindersley, a gasoline schooner, that the ice on the Arctic ocean is carrying away to the north, were taken aboard the Boxer today. The Kindersley was abandoned.

### AUTO DRIVER DIES FROM INJURIES IN RACE

Altoona, Pa., Sept. 2.—Joe Boyer of Detroit, injured yesterday in the 250 mile automobile classic at the Altoona speedway died at a local hospital at 12:25 this (Tuesday) morning.

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While Williamson county remained quiet on the surface, the swearing out of warrants charging murder in large numbers by each faction, and the arrest of Sheriff George Galligan on such a charge brought a new tenseness to the situation.

After a conference between Adjutant General Carlos E. Black, Sheriff Galligan and Delos Duty, state's attorney, General Black announced however, that unless there is some new development he would order the troops home tomorrow, as he saw no evidence of lawlessness in the county.

Fears of possible further trouble were increased late today when several automobiles drove up to the rear of the Herrin city hall where they were loaded with rifles, shot guns and ammunition and were then driven away. Those about the city building refused to comment on the maneuver except to indicate

that it might be a move to prepare for any eventuality.

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The conference between General Black and State's Attorney Duty developed into a heated controversy over whether the troops were longer needed. General Black maintained that the state forces cannot longer be held on the assumption that something might happen.

The state's attorney in a statement declared that new trouble is imminent if the soldiers are withdrawn and expressed his belief that General Black is in sympathy with the klan and may belong to it.

General Black said he would "give dignity" to such a statement by even denying it.

Nine alleged klanmen arrested here yesterday by sheriff's deputies and taken to Harrisburg were released when they obtained bonds.

## FOUR YOUNGSTERS IN THEIR TEENS UNDER MURDER INDICTMENT

## Girls in Case Are Brazen When Accused of Murder of Woman

CHICAGO, Sept. 1.—Four indictments charging Anna Valanis and her brother, Anthony, Luella Marshall and William Boden, all in their teens with the slaying of Mrs. Bessie Gaenssen, will be sought tomorrow by First Assistant State's Attorney George E. Gorman when he presents the case to the September grand jury, it was announced today.

The two boys and Anna Valanis have confessed to their part in the killing but the Marshall girl, when questioned expressed doubt as to their responsibility for Mrs. Gaenssen's death, saying some one else might have visited and robbed her, or that she choked in trying to free herself from the telephone cord with which she had tied her to the bed post.

"Why sorry?" soliloquized Luella today. "Why, I could beat this case myself—without a lawyer," she added.

The danger of receiving the sure punishment apparently does not frighten the girls.

"We're pretty and you never heard of good looking woman—or any other—stretching rope in Illinois," Anna is reported to have said.

## WELL KNOWN WARTIME GENERAL IS DEAD

HELENA, Mont., Sept. 1.—Lieutenant General S. B. M. Young, distinguished field officer of the Civil and Spanish-American Wars and first president of the United States War College died at his home here today after an illness of several months which followed an attack of bronchial pneumonia March last.

## SAYS COAL INDUSTRY IN ILLINOIS 'SICK'

BENTON, Ill., Sept. 1. (AP)—Representing the coal industry in Illinois as "sick, very sick," State Senator William J. Sneed of Herin, sub-district president of the United Mine Workers, and candidate for miners state president, in a Labor Day address here today, described some Illinois coal operators as the doctor who would give "one kind of medicine to make it well and another to make it sick."

"There are 363 shipping mines in this state," Senator Sneed said, "less than 300 of which were shipping at the end of 1923. The question on the lips of all is 'What effect will the three year contract have on Illinois?'"

SPRINGFIELD, Ill., Sept. 1. (AP)—Norman L. Jones of Carrollton, Democratic candidate for governor of Illinois, was one of the Federal Reserve bank here said, "a decrease of 2.3 percent in employment and 5.7 percent in payrolls was reported for the month of July 15 by representative industries of the seventh district."

The decline in Illinois was particularly heavy, the review said amounting approximately to four percent in men and seven percent in payrolls.

### EMPLOYMENT DECLINE IN STATE HEAVY

Chicago, Sept. 1.—In a report issued today on industrial employment conditions in the Seventh Federal Reserve district, the Federal Reserve bank here said, "a decrease of 2.3 percent in employment and 5.7 percent in payrolls was reported for the month of July 15 by representative industries of the seventh district."

"An injunction," he declared, "which is so sweeping in its purview that it forbids a group of men from doing something which might be done by each individual, goes beyond the law. An injunction which makes it a conspiracy for a number of men to do what one man might lawfully do, is founded on no just rule of action." An injunction which is so broad in its terms that workers may be thrown into prison without sufficient proof of intimidation, threats or violence is destructive of human rights and is contrary to the constitution of the United States.

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### TENNESSEE FIRE DESTROYS THREE STORES

Aspinwall, Tenn., Sept. 1.—A fire breaking out here at 1:00 o'clock this morning and burning over an hour destroyed three frame stores and a frame residence. Loss \$14,000 partly covered by insurance.

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## TO MUCH KILLING

According to recent figures, one person is illegally slain each year in the United States for every 12,000 inhabitants. This means more than 9,000 murders a year, or more than 25 persons slaughtered in this country on every one of the 365 days in each year.

It is too bad that Jacksonville must have its share of such crime. Judging from the circumstances under which the deplorable killing of a local resident occurred last Saturday night probably no one is now more sorry for what happened than the man who did the shooting.

The fact remains that the crime was committed, and whatever the circumstances, the taking of a human life is a lamentable thing. The name of the city and county

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has been stained, and no human power can remove that stain. The reputation of the United States as the nation with the most murders to its credit is not to be envied. It is hard to understand why Americans, who are supposed to have a greater civic and national pride than the citizens of any other nation, have deliberately given the country such a black murder name in the world. It is also impossible to see why any individual who stops a moment to think of his responsibility in his community, his duty to his home, and his own well being, will kill a fellow man.

## HERRIN AGAIN

Edward Allen White wrote his famous editorial on "What's the Matter with Kansas?" It might be a good idea to invite Mr. White to Illinois and let him tell us what's the matter with Herrin. Church surveyors have gone into Williamson county and have come out giving that section more or less of a clear bill of religious health. According to information, the morals of the county and its adherence to the Volstead law were for time none too good; but we have heard that the county has been cleaned up in both respects.

Everybody, however, there is something still radically wrong in Williamson county; that is, unless the killing of seven men is no crime in that section. We cannot say who will eventually find the remedy for the trouble there; but here is a suggestion.

We heard sometime ago that Herrin and Marion had taken on the likeness to great whispering gallerlies. People had the habit of gathering in little groups and speaking in whispers, watching other groups with suspicious

eyes. Maybe it would help things if the people of Williamson county would quit whispering and talk out loud. When folks have trouble and are willing to get together and talk things over before flying at each other's throats, they seldom get farther in the dispute than the conference.

**SMALL NATIONS SOUND**  
The rising of Canadian money to par value, without any juggling or boiling down, is not only a financial triumph for the Dominion but another evidence that financial soundness has nothing necessarily to do with a country's size. In fact, some of the biggest countries have suffered most, since the war, in currency depreciation. Canada, great in area but small in population, now stands at the head of several small nations which, after the United States, lead the world in monetary soundness.

Sweden, Switzerland and Holland are the closest competitors. Sweden's monetary unit, normally worth 26 cents, was quoted at 26.58 cents on a recent date when the Canadian dollar was at par.

Switzerland's normally worth 19.3 cents was quoted at 18.83 cents; and Holland's normally 40.2 cents was 38.68 cents. Poland seemed to make a good showing, with her unit, normally 19.3, quoted at 19.25; but that showing was brought about by the recent experiment of giving one zloty, or gold franc, the value of about 2,000-000.

**WORLD TRADE**  
World trade during the first six months of the year showed a distinct gain over the corresponding period of the year preceding. A trade review reports shows that he increase in exports from this country exceeded the decline in imports and that 17 out of the 21 principal countries reported trade totals larger than those of the 1923 period.

In the first half of the year the United States imported merchandise and commodities valued at \$1,852,702,000 as against \$2,07,621,000 in the corresponding period of 1923. Exports on the other hand gained from \$1,905,000 to \$2,089,672,000. In the first six months of this year imports declined 11.2 percent while exports increased 9.6 percent. Reports from various other large exporting and importing nations are of a similar nature.

The satisfactory results obtained by the conferences in the London conference should further stimulate a condition which even now is at its best. With the releasing of the vast stores of merchandise which have accumulated in this country and the opening of new markets on this side for European output, the report to be issued at the end of the year should disclose further encouraging conditions.

**HAIL STORM VISITS  
LITERBERRY VICINITY**  
A heavy hail storm visited the Literberry community Sunday but did no damage to crops. A number of windows were broken in houses of the residents. The hallstones proved to be of large size.

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Eighty-one Different Organizations Line up to take Part in this Movement—Significant Figures of Last Election Quoted.

New York, September 1.—"Vote November 4. Vote As You Please. But—VOTE."

Broadcasting this non-partisan slogan into every single State in the Union in an effort to bring out a representative vote at the Presidential Election in November—sending the patriotic urge into thousands of factories, thousands of homes, and reaching millions of the eligible voters of the country, the nation wide Get Out The Vote campaign initiated by the National Association of Manufacturers and the National Industrial Council opens tomorrow in every single state in the country.

Mr. Edgerton, sums up the

fourteen national organizations of great influence, not of political nature; and sixty-seven state and local industrial organizations embracing members of all political complexities, will begin the work to make the vote of 1924 the greatest in the history of the country. More than 3,000 individuals and organizations of all kinds have been supplied with more than 15,000,000 pieces of material for the opening of the drive.

Every business and industrial community will be engaged and from the enthusiasm with which all organizations have responded to the appeal of John E. Edgerton, President of the Association, manufacturers are already predicting that the vote of 1924 will reach between 35,000,000 and 40,000,000 as against the laggard record of 260,000,000 for the year 1920, when less than half of the eligible voters of the country took enough interest in their national affairs to go to the polls.

Mr. Edgerton, sums up the

menace of the present situation thus:

"Twenty-seven million people stayed away from the polls in 1920. Twenty-six million people—minority of all the voters—elected a president in 1920.

"You ask if the ballot is any of your business.

"Do you know that the period of greatest increase in governmental expense—and taxes—is identical with the period of greatest increase in ballot slackers that we have known in all American history?"

Wide commendation has been expressed of the forcefulness, simplicity and attractiveness of the material that is being sent out in the manufacturers' campaign. The literature is divided into two effective classes—a red, white and blue sticker which reads:

"Vote, November 4—Vote as You Please, but—VOTE."

And a small folder which proclaims a meeting of the Stockholders of the United States of America—and every single citizen is a stockholder—every eligible voter a preferred stockholder. This folder, in three hundred words, preaches a straightforward sermon, which tells in its very first four lines an impressive story of the indifference of the eligible voters in the administration to their national business affairs.

National organizations are joining the manufacturers' campaign day by day, and up to the present the following have enlisted their full support with the Association.

The Motion Picture Producers and Distributors of America, Will H. Hays, president. Mr. Hays has approved the campaign with fullest enthusiasm, because he has been personally interested in just such work for about ten years.

The American Radio Association, which urges every member of its organization to go to the polls and pound the necessity home wherever possible.

The Boy Scouts of America, which through its 680 different scout leaders throughout the country, will distribute approximately a million copies of the stickers and folders, making house to house distribution in many parts of the country.

American Bankers' Association.

Grand Lodge, Order of Elks. Knights of Columbus.

Grand Lodges Order of Masons. National Automobile Chamber of Commerce.

International Rotary Club.

Kiwianis.

Lions.

National Jewish Welfare Board.

National Association of Credit Men.

National Housewives League.

RADIO AMATEUR IS AWARDED \$100 PRIZE

Westville, Mass., Sept. 1.—Percy C. Noble, operator of the amateur radio transmitting station IBVR in this place, has just been awarded the prize of one hundred dollars in gold offered by U. J. Herrman, managing director of the Radio Manufacturer's Show Association, to the first amateur to re-establish radio communication with the Arctic ship, "Bowdoin," in charge of Captain Donald B. MacMillan, the polar explorer.

In his report to the American Radio Relay League, Mr. Noble stated that MacMillan was preparing to leave for home immediately that the ice cleared from Refuge Harbor.

## ROScoe HOUSE HELD FOR PAXTON KILLING

Coroner's Jury Recommends That Negro be Held to Grand Jury—Witnesses Tell Story of Shootings.

Roscoe House is being held in the county jail, on recommendation of the coroner's jury, for the killing of Chester Paxton, whom it is alleged to have shot to death Saturday night at the home of William Sales on South West St. The inquest was held at 1 o'clock yesterday afternoon at the Gilliam Funeral Home, and at three o'clock the jury issued the following verdict:

"We, the jury, on oath do find that Chester Paxton died of gunshot wounds made by a .32 calibre revolver in the hands of Roscoe House. We recommend that the said House be held with bond to await the action of the grand jury at the next term of court, to answer for the death of Chester Paxton."

The inquest was largely attended by colored friends of the slain man and of the accused. The testimony given was somewhat conflicting in minor details, and no important new developments in the case were forthcoming. Chief of Police Kiloran and Patrolman Frank Baker told the story of their call to the Sales home and the subsequent arrest of House. The chief showed the jury the weapon with which the shooting is alleged to have been done.

Patrolman Baker stated that the officers were first called to the neighborhood about 5:15 o'clock Saturday evening on a report that there was trouble. They found everything quiet, and could get no information as to what had been the trouble, except that there had been an argument. The policemen returned to the station and about 5:55 o'clock were again called to South West street, this time on information that shooting had occurred. The officers found the body of Paxton lying in the back yard of the residence of Walter Woodson, next door south of the home of Roscoe House, who resides with his father-in-law, William Sales. The officers inquired as to who did the shooting and witnesses told them House was the man. They found the accused at his home and asked him if he had shot Paxton. He told them he had, and they asked for the gun. The accused took them into his house and produced the gun from a dresser drawer.

**How Trouble Began**

Silas Holiday, also resides at the Sales home, told the story of the beginning of the trouble. He said Paxton came to the yard and approached him. Holiday passed the time of day, and Paxton answered aggressively and began a quarrel. Holiday started away, wishing to have no trouble. Paxton grabbed him, he said, and tried to strike him. Holiday shook off Paxton twice, and again the man assailed him, this time striking him a severe blow in the eye. The trouble was stopped by Sales, who told Holiday to go to his room, and ordered Paxton to go away.

Other witnesses, including William Sales, Clarence Clark and William Pitts, told the story of the shooting. It was brought out that House fired four shots and missed his gun once. The jury examined the gun and found that the loaded cartridge remaining in the chamber bore the mark of the plunger, which seemed to bear out the testimony. Testimony varied as to the attitude of Paxton during the fusillade of shots. However, it was shown that he was retreating after the first or second shot. He stumbled over an object in the yard, staggered to the fence to the south and somehow went thru it. He then almost fell against the Woodson house and ended by falling in the back yard. One witness who arrived shortly after Paxton fell heard him gasp once. Another heard him say as he fought to keep his feet: "You have killed me."

**Physician Testified**

The most vital testimony in the case seemed to be that of Dr. H. C. Woltman who examined Paxton's body. The physician found three wounds, the most serious of which he believed was in the head. The bullet entered the head about an inch below and two inches back of the right ear, apparently lodging near the base of the brain. The doctor thought the ball might have penetrated the spinal column at a point where it would sever the nerves controlling the heart, a situation which would cause quick death.

Another bullet entered the body between the seventh and eighth ribs about five inches to the left of the spinal column. This ball pierced the lower lobe of the left lung, and lodged either in the spinal cord or in the liver. The third bullet caused a flesh wound on the left arm below the elbow.

Chester Paxton was 26 years old at the time of his death. He was born and raised in this city and was a laborer by occupation. His home was at 319 Anna street. Paxton is survived by his wife, two sisters, Mrs. Mary Reed of Chicago, and Mrs. Little Martin of Peoria; one brother, Jonas Paxton of Peoria, and an aunt, Mrs. Sallie Williams of this city. Funeral arrangements are yet to be announced.

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**LEGION STAGES  
MONSTER PARADE  
AT ENCAMPMENT**

(Continued from Page One) Efforts will be made this morning to insure comfort and continue the activities at the Morgan county fair, which was interfered with by the heavy rains yesterday afternoon. Two tons of straw will be unloaded on the midway, so that there will be a dry path between the tents. Several loads of cinders will be used about the horse barns.

It is believed that the track can be worked into shape for races this afternoon, and an effort will be made to finish yesterday's program and run off the regular schedule for today. However, if it becomes necessary the fair and the racing program will be continued thru Saturday.

The free acts are under a contract that will provide for their appearance on Saturday if necessary. Had the rain come yesterday morning, the fair association would have had \$3,000 worth of insurance; but under the terms of the policy, no insurance can be collected for the setback received in the afternoon.

The program for all sessions is included in another column. Judging will begin this morning and will continue actively until the big task has been accomplished in all departments.

Perry LaRue of Ames, Iowa is visiting at the home of relatives in the city.

**FAIR WILL RECOVER  
FROM MONAY SETBACK**

**MINISTERS TELL  
TRUE CAUSE OF  
HERRIN TROUBLE**

(Continued From Page One) According to the best information available the sheriff went to Smith's garage, as he says, to take possession of the automobile placed there by other legal authorities. While there, Harry Herrin, president of the Board of Health, and a companion, came along and were attacked by the sheriff and his men. In a few moments Charles Denham, a dry alderman who had assisted in raids, came along with three other men in an automobile. They were stopped by the sheriff and his men, who opened fire. In the fight which followed the three occupants of the rear seat were killed, the two others were wounded and three of the men who came with the sheriff were killed. A fourth deputy was wounded. As above indicated, we do not make this as a positive statement of the facts, but it is our belief after careful investigation.

"What is the remedy? The imprisonment of innocent men upon unfounded charges must cease. The persons guilty of these outrages must be brought to justice without favor or partiality. Honest witnesses must not be so cowed that they will fear to give evidence. The courts must dispense justice, punishing the guilty and protecting the innocent. To do that we need a state's attorney who will enforce the law and a sheriff who will apprehend the real criminals. We have neither."

**WHEELER'S ATTORNEY  
FILES DEMURRER**

Great Falls, Mont., Sept. 1.—Attorney T. C. Ford, appearing for B. K. Wheeler, in federal court this morning filed a general demurrer to the indictment of Senator B. K. Wheeler, of Montana, asking that the case be transferred to the Butte division of the court. The court took the demurser under advisement.

**PARADE IN DECATUR**

Decatur, Ill., Sept. 1.—Marchers numbering about 800 klansmen, klanswomen and children attired in Klan regalia, paraded here tonight during a drizzling rain. The parade ended a day of festivities for the Klan of Macon and surrounding counties.

**VISIT HERE**

John V. Sweeney and Miss Elizabeth B. Sweeney of Chicago are guests at the home of their parents, Mr. and Mrs. D. E. Sweeney.

**DETROIT WOMAN  
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Detroit, Michigan.—"Your little book left at my door was my best doctor. I read it, then said to my husband, 'Please go and get me some Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound. I want to take it.' The first month I took three bottles of Vegetable Compound and one of Lydia E. Pinkham's Blood Medicine, and used Lydia E. Pinkham's Sanative Wash. If you only knew how much better I feel! Now when my friends say they are sick I tell them to take Lydia E. Pinkham's medicines. I give the little book and your medicines the best of thanks." —Mrs. HAMERINK, 3765 25th Street, Detroit, Mich.

In newspapers and booklets we are constantly publishing letters from women, who explain how they were healed by taking Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound.

These letters should guide you. If you are troubled with pains and nervousness, or any feminine disorder, bear in mind that the Vegetable Compound has helped other women and should help you. For sale by druggists everywhere.

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**BRIEFS**

(By the Associated Press)

Chicago.—A man, two women and a child were killed and two other men and a baby were injured; one man and the baby probably fatally tonight when the automobile in which they were riding was struck by a Chicago, Rock Island & Pacific railway train.

Quito, Ecuador.—S. Gonzalo Cordova today assumed the office of president of the Republica of Ecuador in succession to Jose Luis Tama.

Hull, England.—The fifty-sixth trade union congress opened here today with over 700 delegates present, representing nearly 500,000 workers. Commeror A. Purcell is presiding.

Buffalo, N. Y.—While Norman E. Mack, Democratic national committeeman for New York state was away from his home today a burglar gained entrance and stole jewelry valued at \$75,000.

Chicago.—Diamonds and other unset jewelry valued at upwards of \$100,000 was taken from a downtown loan bank by safeblowers sometime within the past 48 hours, Max Klein, the owner reported to the police today.

Sacramento.—Miss Lydia McPherson of Los Angeles won a \$250 diamond ring here yesterday for having the longest hair of any woman at the California State Fair now in progress. Miss McPherson's hair is seven feet long.

Appleton, Wis.—Six persons were killed and another injured perhaps fatally when a Chicago & Northwestern passenger train struck their automobile near here.

Birmingham, La.—News of the death in Atlantic City today of Colonel J. Campbell Haynes Sr., former president of the Sloss-Sheffield Steel & Iron company of Birmingham was received in this city by a friend.

Paris.—John Dougherty of Beaver, Pa., died suddenly at a Paris hotel today. He formerly was vice-president of the Crucible Steel company, president of the Pittsburgh Crucible Steel company and president of the Marquette Ore company.

**LITERBERRY**

Prof. Hagan and Miss Chapman opened school at Literberry on Monday morning with a good attendance.

Mr. and Mrs. Leander Murray from Oklahoma, who are touring for a few weeks in different states drove into Literberry Friday evening and made an all night visit at Maple Mound with the Guy family. After visiting with friends in Jacksonville, they will go to St. Louis before returning home.

Mrs. Frank Hitchens and son of Ringwood are expected in Literberry Tuesday to spend a week with relatives and friends.

Mr. and Mrs. C. A. Beavers will move to Jacksonville this week, for the winter, to be near the high school of which their son is a pupil.

Mrs. George Richardson is on the sick list.

Mrs. Perry L. Burton of Jacksonville attended services at the Baptist church Sunday morning.

Blanche Louise Rattiff returned home Sunday after a very pleasant visit of a week, at Chandlerville.

**RETURN HOME**

Mr. and Mrs. Andrew Vieria and daughter Cleta of St. Louis returned to their home in St. Louis yesterday after spending the weekend with their parents Mr. and Mrs. Charles Seymour of East Morgan Street.

**READ THE WANT ADS**

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All my work guaranteed as to material and workmanship. Call and I will prove it to you. Twenty-three years in business at 602 N. Main St. Jacksonville, Ill. Phone 32.

**CAIRO BEGINS ON NEW COTTON GIN**

Cairo, Ill.—Work has been started on a new cotton gin, to be built here by a southern company.

The gin will have a capacity of 50 bales of cotton a day.

The building and machinery

**UNION MEETINGS  
END SUNDAY EVENING**

With a program in the interest of the local Y. M. C. A. cause the summer series of Union Sunday evening religious services came to a close Sunday night. Rev. F. M. Fannon, pastor of the Central Christian Church delivered the principal address, which was an earnest appeal for the young men of the Jacksonville community.

The program was in charge of Rev. Harry B. Lewis of Grace church where the services were conducted and prayer was offered by Rev. W. E. Spoons. Arthur Tweet, secretary of the Jacksonville Y. M. C. A. read the scripture lesson and the congregation singing was led by Garnett Hedge with Willard Wesner at the organ.

Brief interesting talks were made by Theodore Wetzel and Lewis Gear, two Hi-Y boys on the need of a Y. M. C. A. building for Jacksonville. They expressed hopes that in the near future the lot which the Y now owns adjacent to Grace church will be occupied soon by a structure to be used in the fight against vice, Rev. Mr. Bell said. Two of its 12 distinct services are listed as follows:

"Battled 10 years to overthrow the vice district; cooperate with the Chicago Law and Order League in the injunction suit of Phil A. Otis, which Chief Justice Olson pronounced 'the Appomattox' of protected vice in Chicago."

"Initiated the white slave crusade in Chicago in a suit before Judge Newcomer, January 31, 1907; first proposed the federal white slave traffic act in a letter of our late president, Rufus S. Simmons, to President Roosevelt, August 28, 1908, and in an address by Ernest A. Bell before the general conference of the Soc. of Friends at Winona Lake, Ind., Sept. 1, 1908, with the Illinois Vigilance association, pioneered the injunction and abatement law for Illinois which the committee of fifteen finds its most powerful weapon against commercial vice; and arranged the union meetings of ministers which brought about the vice commission."

Distribution of Bible literature is an important work of the Night Church.

Doctor Bell has served as missionary in foreign lands and speaks a little of several different languages, and can accost a foreigner and offer him a testament and then say "good-bye" in several others. Friends tell that he sizes up an interested listener at a street service, decides what nationality the man is, and then addresses him in his own tongue.

For instance he will accost a dark complected man with the query in Spanish—"Is your honor Spanish?" That question is hardly answered when he follows up with the same language "Here is the gospel of St. John." The "many thanks" of the Spaniard is hardly muttered, when Mr. Bell closes the interview by exhausting his knowledge of the language with "Adios."

With his own hand, Doctor Bell has distributed copies of the gospels and testaments in 51 languages.

Amy Lowell's life of John Keats, which has been announced for publication several times, is definitely scheduled to appear this autumn under the imprint of Houghton Mifflin Company.

A Journal Classified "ad" costs little— and gets results.

**WOODSON NEWS**

Mr. and Mrs. Amos McCleary and family of Jacksonville spent Sunday afternoon as a guest of Mr. and Mrs. Jesse Henry.

Rev. Smith of Springfield spoke at the Woodson Christian church Sunday morning in the interest of the Anti-Saloon league.

Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Vorhes of Markham neighborhood were guests Sunday at the home of Mr. and Mrs. D. C. Vorhes.

Dr. and Mrs. H. M. Grandine, who have been visiting at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Edward Gallagher, have returned to their home in Pittsburg, Kansas.

Mr. and Mrs. Russel McAllister have gone to Champaign, where the former is attending the American Legion convention.

Among Woodson residents who attended the funeral of J. W. Craig at Jacksonville Sunday were Mr. and Mrs. George Cunningham, Miss Maggie Reynolds, William Colton, Lloyd Darwent, Mrs. William Rook, Mrs. Nettie Ezard, Mrs. Edward Gallagher, Mrs. J. T. Self, S. J. Baxter, Rev. Ice, and Mrs. Lelia Craig.

Mrs. H. M. Goacher of Jacksonville is visiting relatives at Woodson.

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**CITY AND COUNTY**

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Charles H. Cobb, who is a student at Iowa State College is in Jacksonville for a short visit with relatives. Mr. Cobb will graduate with the class of 1925.

Mr. and Mrs. James Hansen, daughters Helen and Elsie, and Mrs. Margaret Thompson and son Albert, all of St. Louis, were Sunday guests of Mr. and Mrs. Charles Curtis and family south of the city.

Charles H. Curtis and daughters, of the andala road spent Labor Day with relatives in Jacksonville.

Louis Gause, who has been for the past four months on business in Philadelphia and Baltimore, spent the weekend with relatives here.

Mr. and Mrs. S. W. Reuter and Mrs. C. I. Glenn were among Franklin residents who attended the Morgan county fair Monday.

**LEAVES CITY**

Miss Verna Smith left the city Sunday night for Clinton, New Jersey, where she has a position in the state school for the deaf.

**ATTENDED REUNION**

Mrs. Josephine LaRue and family and Mr. and Mrs. B. F. Lane were in attendance at a reunion of the David family which was held in a grove near Ipava Sunday.

**CLASS TO MEET**

The Opportunity class of Grace church will hold a picnic supper and business meeting in the church parlors this evening.

**FUNERAL NOTICE**

Funeral services for Chester Paxton will be held at 2:30 o'clock Wednesday afternoon from the Gillham Funeral Home, in charge of Rev. R. H. Hackley, assisted by Rev. W. H. Snowden.

**CAIRO BEGINS ON NEW COTTON GIN**

Cairo, Ill.—Work has been started on a new cotton gin, to be built here by a southern company.

The gin will have a capacity of 50 bales of cotton a day.

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will cost approximately \$15,000.

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"Night Church" of Chicago Closes Twentieth Years' Service

CHICAGO, Ill. (AP)—Street preaching has attained greater protection by Chicago authorities, in this the twentieth year's service of "The Night Church" of Chicago, which was first organized under the name of "The Midnight Mission." Its anniversary is being observed this week.

Its course, however, was fraught with trials and opposition, according to Rev. Ernest A. Bell, the minister of the church, until the Chicago Church Federation lent its support.

Located, thru its street-service, at the edge of the Chicago restricted district in its early years, and maintaining its place today at Quincy and State streets, the organization has taken the lead in the fight against vice, Rev. Mr. Bell said. Two of its 12 distinct services are listed as follows:

"Battled 10 years to overthrow the vice district; cooperate with the Chicago Law and Order League in the injunction suit of Phil A. Otis, which Chief Justice Olson pronounced 'the Appomattox' of protected vice in Chicago."

"Initiated the white slave crusade in Chicago in a suit before Judge Newcomer, January 31, 1907; first proposed the federal white slave traffic act in a letter of our late president, Rufus S. Simmons, to President Roosevelt, August 28, 1908

# Social and Club Events

## Seven Birthdays

Celebrated Together

Celebrating the birthday anniversary of seven of the guests, an elaborate picnic dinner was given at Nichols park Sunday afternoon, August 31, at which the guests of honor included Mrs. C. M. Goodwin of Bloomington; Mrs. W. T. Waterfield, William Spreen, Miss Helen Lyons, Misses Mary and Helen Fluder and Mrs. Charles Fluder. A number of attractive

birthday gifts in commemoration of the occasion were presented the guests of honor. The afternoon hours were spent socially.

Among those attending were Mrs. C. M. Goodwin and son George, Clifford Johnson, Lawrence Waterfield, all of Bloomington; Ambrose Waterfield, and daughter, Esther Lee, and Miss Means, all of St Paul Minn.; Mr. and Mrs. William Sorrells and children, James Allen, Marvin, Mary Katherine and Dorothy Dean of Litterberry; Mrs. Means and daughter Doris and son Russell, Mrs. Lyons, son Edward, daughter Helen, Mr. and Mrs. Charles Fluder and daughter Mary Heien and Mabel, Mr. and Mrs. Charles Spreen, daughter Elizabeth and son Francis, Miss Nellie Spreen, Joshua Warfield, Welsh Hettick, Mr. and Mrs. William Spreen, Mr. and Mrs. Fred Spreen, Mr. and Mrs. W. T. Waterfield, Mr. and Mrs. Albert Spreen and daughter, Virginia Lucille.

## Mrs. O. H. Buhrman Entertains Guests

Mr. and Mrs. O. H. Buhrman of South Main street, are entertaining as their house guests, Mr. and Mrs. Tringle Williams of East St. Louis.

Monday afternoon, Mrs. Buhrman entertained at three tables of bridge in honor of Mrs. Williams, who is her sister.

## Woodall-Lashmet Reunion at Park

The initial reunion of the Woodall-Lashmet families took place at Nichols park Sunday, where it was decided to make the holding of a reunion, an annual custom, and to meet each year on the last Sunday in August at Nichols park. Plans to organize into a family association and elect officers were not carried out because of the sudden storm which arose about four o'clock Sunday afternoon, and caused a quick disbanding of the reunion guests.

The reunion Sunday included the serving of a bountiful picnic luncheon at noon, and the afternoon hours were spent socially. Those attending were Mr. and

## Menus for a Family



SISTER MARY

**Breakfast**—Baked pears, boiled rice, top milk, cream broiled bacon, whole wheat toast, cornmeal griddle cakes, maple syrup, coffee, sugar, 1 cup milk, 2 tablespoons celery stock.

**Luncheon**—Creamed celery on toast, caramel custard, graham crackers, tea, milk.

**Dinner**—Lamb stew, with vegetables, corn on the cob, head lettuce salad, apple snow, sponge cake, coffee, milk, bread and butter.

After older children have eaten their cereal they may have one or two carefully baked pancakes with syrup, but a child under six or seven should not be permitted to eat them.

When the man of the family is not at home for luncheon the meal can be planned exclusively for the children. A busy mother will find the food quite nourishing and helpful to her as the children. A woman "raising" a family has a real job on her hands and must be "fit" if she would do it well. She can't live on the wings and back-bones of the chicken and the tough tails of the steaks, do her work and have the best of herself to give to her family.

The lamb stew with vegetables, apple snow, sponge cake and milk are planned for the children's dinner, but will be equally acceptable to grown-ups.

**Creamed Celery**—Two cups diced stalks celery, 2

tablespoons butter, 1 1/2 tablespoons flour, 1/2 teaspoon salt, 1/8 teaspoon pepper, 1/2 teaspoon sugar, 1 cup milk, 2 tablespoons celery stock.

Use the outer stalks of celery for stewing. Put in stewpan, pour over boiling water to cover and boil until tender. Replenish water as necessary to prevent burning but do not use more water than will boil away while cooking. Melt butter, stir in flour and slowly add milk, stirring constantly. Season with salt and pepper and add celery. There will be about 2 tablespoons water clinging to the celery if it is cooked in little enough water not to need draining. When thoroughly heated, but not boiling, pour over hot buttered toast.

## Caramel Custard

Two-thirds cup brown sugar, 3 eggs, 2 cups milk, 1/2 teaspoon salt.

Melt 6 tablespoons sugar over a slow fire. Warm custard cups and an equal amount of the caramel in each cup. Beat eggs well with salt and remaining sugar. Add milk heated in top of double boiler until "blood" heat. Beat into egg mixture and pour into cups.

Bake in a pan of hot water in a moderate oven until firm to the touch. Do not let the water boil during the baking. It will take about 40 minutes to bake. Remove from cups while warm and serve cold. (Copyright, 1924, NEA Service, Inc.)



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## BROTHER OF LOCAL WOMAN SUCCUMBS

Relative of Mrs. G. T. Wetzel Passes Away in Gibson City Sunday

Word has been received here of the death of Mark Light, prominent resident of Gibson City and brother of Mrs. G. T. Wetzel of this city, which occurred Sunday afternoon at his home at 2:30 o'clock.

Mr. Light was 58 years of age at the time of his death and for 21 years was a resident of Bloomington. He was a member of the Gibson City Christian church and a member of the official board of that church. He was also a member of the Masonic and Odd Fellows lodges.

Besides Mrs. Wetzel of this city he leaves his widow, two brothers, Huber and James Light of Bloomington and one sister, Mrs. Edward Bowes of New York.

Funeral services will be held at the Christian church in Gibson City with burial in the family lot in Evergreen cemetery, Bloomington.

LITERBERRY NEWS NOTES

Literberry, Sept. 1.—Rev. William Jonathon preached a fine sermon on Sunday morning. Scripture reading was from Mark 10:46-52.

J. E. Underbrink made a visit of several days this week to Archie, Mo., to see his relatives and friends.

Master Eugene Young is the proud possessor of a nice rubber-tired wagon, nicely painted and up-to-date in every way. Gene says he bought this wagon with his own money that he earned helping around during harvest.

Mrs. John Guy commenced an

Fox.

Funeral services for Marietta Fox, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Roy Fox were held yesterday afternoon at 2:30 o'clock at Antioch church in charge of Rev. G. T. Wetzel. Interment was in Antioch cemetery.

Music was furnished by Misses Lois and Helen Harney and the floral tributes were cared for by Mrs. Alice Lawson and Miss Margaret Trotter.

The bearers were Misses Virginia Masters, Marie Lovell, Virginia Black and Elizabeth Davis.

Rieman.

Services in memory of Frank I. Rieman were held Sunday noon at the family residence, 123 City Place, Rev. Harry B. Lewis officiating. The remains were then taken to the meredosia cemetery where brief services were conducted by Rev. G. T. Wetzel.

Music was furnished by Mrs. Elenberger with Mrs. Strandberg as accompanist. Mrs. Elenberger also rendered a solo at the cemetery accompanied by Mrs. Harwood at the organ.

The flowers were cared for by Mrs. Bert Trippier, Mrs. Roy Denfibaugh, Mrs. Charles Dunnaway and Miss Eunice Haerle.

Bearers were James W. Beckon, J. O. Vollrath, S. O. Shuff, Dr. H. C. Wolman, Herman Strandberg and Amos Swain. At the cemetery were Henry Berger, Louis Berger, C. T. Hedrick, James Brockhouse, George Brockhouse and James McLain.

Craig

Funeral services for James W. Craig of Woodson were held Sunday afternoon at the Gilliland Funeral Home at 3 o'clock. The services were in charge of Rev. W. E. Spoons and interment was made in Diamond Grove cemetery.

Music was furnished by Mrs. Gallagher, Mrs. Joseph Self, William Colton and George Cunningham accompanied by Mrs. Nettle Ezzard.

The bearers were William Colton, Edwin Burrows, Thomas Iriam, S. J. Baxter, George Cunningham and L. Darwent.

CLUBS

The Wednesday Social club will be entertained at the home of Mrs. J. W. Sperry, 860 West College avenue, on Wednesday afternoon, at 2:30 o'clock.

OUR SAVIOR'S HOSPITAL NOTES

Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Strickler are the parents of a son born at the hospital Sunday morning.

Leonard Froge of 519 Myrtle street entered the hospital Sunday.

George and Jay Hamilton, sons of Mr. and Mrs. L. T. Hamilton, entered the hospital Sunday to undergo minor operations.

Mrs. Pearl Cadwell and baby son returned to their home in Griggsville Sunday.

Little Charles Buhrer returned to his home from the hospital Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. H. Immenza of Springfield visited at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Durrell Crandall Sunday.

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# LATEST NEWS OF THE SPORTING WORLD

## WISE COUNSELLOR IS WINNER OVER EPINARD

Crack French Horse Finishes Second, Ladkin Third, Snob II, Fourth and the Great Zev Fifth.

NEW YORK, Sept. 1.—(AP)—

Frederick A. Burton's Wise Counsellor, chestnut son of Mentor, by Rustle at odds of 13 to 5 won the big International Special from a field of nine starters at Belmont Park today, leading Epinard, Pierre Wertheimer's great French thoroughbred to the wire by half a length. August Belmont's Ladkin was third, three lengths astern of Epinard.

The time for the six furlongs was 1:11 4-5. The race carried a money value of \$29,000 to the victor. Sixty thousand persons, including the Prince of Wales, saw the turf classic.

Epinard, despite his defeat, demonstrated he is a great runner. Quoted with Zev at 3 to 1, the champion three year old of France in 1923, lost the race only after a heartbreaking drive with Wise Counsellor down the stretch.

Epinard came in three lengths ahead of Ladkin, with Snob II in fourth place, half a length ahead of Zev, who pulled up in the stretch.

Wilderness was sixth, Battling seventh, Miss Star, the only filly in the race, eighth, and Goshawk trailing the field. Rialto, Little Chief and Worthmore were scratched just before the start of the big special.

The race clearly shows that Epinard needed one competition race under his saddle before he becomes fully acclimated to American tracks and racing conditions. The great French thoroughbred showed plenty of speed but he misjudged Wise Counsellor's ability in the stretch and could not counter with speed enough to shake off the flying Burton colt.

The day was stifling hot and the track lightning fast. The crowd, one of the greatest which ever saw a race at Belmont, completely filled the stands, overflowed on to the lawn, and poured into the infield. Pierre Wertheimer, while he would make no unauthorized statement, said he was satisfied with the result of today's race and that future events would determine the racing value of Epinard. The French colt will train at Belmont for the next ten days, it was announced.

At the start it looked like a race between Zev and Epinard. Jockey Haynes, up on Epinard, was watching Fater on Zev, and appeared content to allow the "clucks" to set the pace, figuring that in order to find the wire first it was necessary to outrun the Rancocas star. But Zev weakened, and Wise Counsellor furnished the opposition which was too great for Epinard to overcome.

Zev looked good as he went to the post. Epinard came out singularly calm and paraded to the barrier without a misstep. But Wise Counsellor carried the most money and was made the favorite.

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Scores:

**First Game**

Detroit .012 432 202—16 18 2

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**Second Game**

Detroit—AB R H O A E

Burke, 2b .4 0 0 6 1 0

Manush, lf .4 0 2 1 0 0

Cobb, cf .4 0 0 1 0 0

Heilmann, rf .3 1 2 0 0 0

Jones, 3b .4 1 1 0 3 0

Pratt, 1b .4 0 2 7 2 1

O'Rourke, ss .4 0 0 2 2 1

Bassler, c .4 0 1 5 2 0

Wells, p .0 0 0 0 0 0

Holloway, p .1 0 0 1 2 0

Hanley, x .1 0 0 0 0 0

Pillette, p .1 0 0 0 0 0

Wingo, xx .1 0 0 0 0 0

Totals .35 2 7 24 11 2

x—batted for Holloway in 6th.

xx—batted for Pillette in 9th.

Chicago—AB R H O A E

Mosell, cf .4 12 1 0 0 9

Hoofer, rf .5 1 2 1 0 0

Eish, rf .0 0 0 0 0 0

Collins, 2b .3 1 2 1 4 0

Sheely, 1b .5 2 2 12 0 0

Kamrin, 3b .5 2 3 3 0 0

McClellan, ss .1 0 3 5 0 0

Schalk, c .0 1 3 0 0 0

Grobowski, c .0 0 2 0 0 0

Faber, p .1 1 0 1 0 0

Totals .10 16 27 11 1

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Two base hits—Collins, Manush

Bassler, Doubt, May, Bassler to

base. Basers, balls, off Wells

1; Holloway 1; Pillette 1; Faber

1; Struckout by Wells 1; by

Faber 5; by Holloway 1; y Pillette 1. Hits off Wells, 3 in 1-3;

Pillette, 5 in 3; Holloway, 8 in

2-3 innings. Umpires, Rowland,

Ormsby and Dineen. Time of

game, 1:48.

**JIMMY MURPHY ADDS TO RACING LAURELS**

SPEEDWAY, ALTOONA, Pa., Sept. 1.—Jimmy Murphy added to his racing laurels here today by winning the 250 mile auto mobile Labor Day classic. Tommy Milton was second and Fred Comer was third. At the 24th mile mark Joe Boyer, in second place racing at 125 miles an hour in an effort to overtake the roaring Murphy, crashed thru the upper guard rail of the bowl near the grand stand. His legs were injured, it was said. He was removed to the Emergency Field Hospital. Murphy's time was 2:11:58 2-5.

**MISS DETROIT WINS SPEEDBOAT SWEEPSTAKES**

Detroit, Mich., Sept. 1.—Miss Detroit VII, owned and piloted by Gar Wood, won the second annual running of the 150 mile International Sweepstakes race here today when Gus Foreman and Bernie Devevers arrived from Beaumont, Texas. Foreman is a left hand pitcher who established a record of 16 victories as against nine defeats in the Texas League and had been leading the league batters with an average of .336.

Devevers an outfielder has had two tryouts with the Chicago

Cubs.

**SOX GET TWO MEN FROM TEXAS LEAGUE**

Chicago, Sept. 1.—Two additions were made to the roster of the Chicago White Sox today when Gus Foreman and Bernie Devevers arrived from Beaumont, Texas. Foreman is a left hand pitcher who established a record of 16 victories as against nine defeats in the Texas League and had been leading the league batters with an average of .336.

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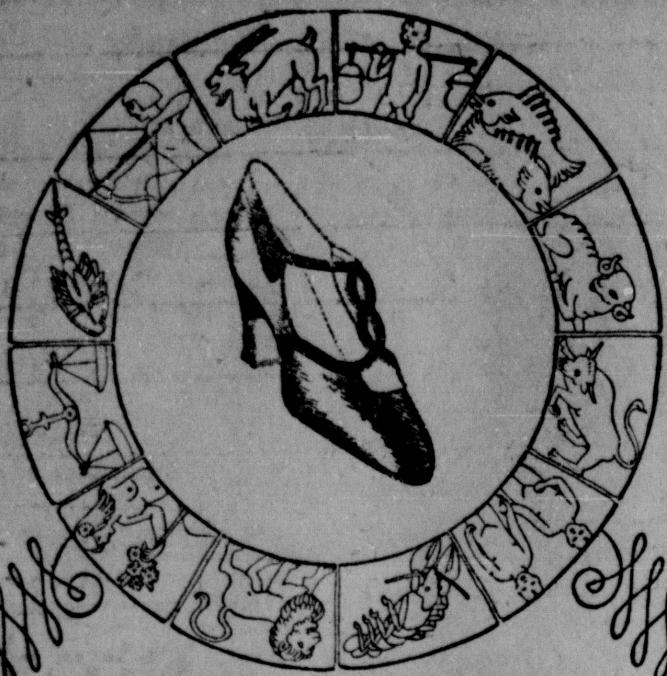
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### H. G. BRADNEY ELECTED TO HIGH STATE OFFICE

Local Man, Well Known in former Service Men's Circles, is Named Grand Chef de Gare at State Convention of Forty and Eight at Champaign.

Homer G. Bradney of this city was elected to the office of Grand Chef de Gare at the state convention of the Forty and Eight of Illinois at Champaign yesterday, by a unanimous vote. By his election to this office Mr. Bradney is honored by holding the highest position in this organization in the state of Illinois.

The naming of Mr. Bradney to this high office comes in recognition of his sterling qualities, efficiency and capabilities as commander of the local viture of the Forty and Eight and his work in the American Legion in Morgan county and the state. The efficient work accomplished in this city by Grand Chef de Gare Bradney has attracted the attention of former service men throughout Illinois and it was thru his splendid efforts that he was named to the office that became his yesterday.

Mr. Bradney assumes office with an enviable record of accomplishments performed in behalf of the ex-service men. He has served as vice commander of the Jacksonville post of the American Legion and is now a member of the Executive Committee, Chairman of the Building Plat committee and a Director and Vice-President of the American Legion Memorial Home Association of the local post.

In the year 1923 he organized Voiture No. 513, was elected the first Chef de Gare and succeeded himself in 1924. He is also Cheminot of the fourth district of the Grand Voiture of Illinois. His slogan, "Service o the Legion," indicates his interest in the work for the benefit of the former World War veteran and in him the veterans of the state have a tireless and capable worker.

#### HERE FROM GIRARD

Mr. and Mrs. Trumbull Smirn and daughter, Doris, motored to the city from Girard Sunday afternoon and spent the holiday with relatives in this city.

#### DANCE TONIGHT AUTO INN FINLEY ORCHESTRA

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POTATO CHIPS, Package	9c
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SOAP CHIPS, Pound Package	10c
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SPAGHETTI	7 1/2 c
SYRUP, DARK Gallon	55c
SYRUP, LIGHT, Gallon	65c

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## MORGAN COUNTY FAIR IN BIG OPENING DAY

Frank Sheets, State Engineer, Tells of Great Progress in Road Building Made Under Present Administration—Rain Interferes With Races—Record Crowd is Present.

#### TODAY'S PROGRAM

Morning

9:00—Judging Poland China hogs in arena.

9:00—Judging chickens in chicken tent.

9:00—Judging in Better Babies' Conference.

9:30—Music by the Jacksonville Community Band.

10:00—Pure bred Percheron horses in front of grandstand.

10:30—Judging Berkshire hogs in the arena.

11:00—Judging pure bred Shire horses in front of grandstand.

11:15—Judging Chester White hogs in the arena.

11:30—Music by the Jacksonville Community band.

#### Afternoon

1:30—Music by the Community Band.

2:20 Trot.

2:25 Pace.

Five-eighths mile run.

Pony races.

2:30—Gentleman's single driver for Morgan county horse.

3:00—Free acts by the Guy Baldwin Company.

3:15—Free acts by the Guy Baldwin Company.

3:15—Combination Driving and Saddle class.

#### Evening

7:30—Concert by the Jacksonville Community Band.

8:00—Special entertainment by the Guy Baldwin Company Shows.

10:00—J. K. Pearson Carnival Co., Shows and the Midway.

The Morgan County Fair in its opening day yesterday attracted an almost capacity crowd, and gave promise of a most successful outcome. The program was carried out according to schedule, except that the horse races had to be curtailed because of a shower of rain which came up late in the afternoon.

2:17 pace and one heat of the 2:20 trot had been run off. These races will probably be added to today's card.

The fair program opened Monday morning with a concert by the Jacksonville Community band. At one-thirty in the afternoon, a large audience in the grandstand was addressed by Frank I. Sheets, chief engineer of the state of Illinois. Mr. Sheets was introduced by J. L. Henry, one of the directors of the fair association.

In a brief, forceful address, the speaker discussed the proposed one hundred million dollar bond issue for hard roads in Illinois, and urged his hearers to cast their votes in the November election for this proposal.

In noting the progress that Illinois has made recently in this direction, Mr. Sheets called attention to the fact the only a few years ago this state ranked only twenty-third in the matter of road improvement. Since then, he said, Illinois has broken the world record in the construction of hard roads.

Great Record Made

The speaker recalled that in 1906, when he first became interested in good roads, he dared not advocate the building of hard roads, but had to be satisfied with urging citizens of the state to keep the dirt roads dragged. Since then, public sentiment has changed.

Illinois has built over 3,100 miles of hard roads in the past three and a half years. These have been paid for, partly by license fees, partly by federal aid, and partly by a sixty million dollar bond issue.

Mr. Sheets stated that sixty-five percent of the present hard roads of the state were laid in the past three and a half years, and that the estimated construction for 1924 is 1,200 miles. During the present year, he said, roads have been built in every county of the state.

It was stated that the new road building program, to be inaugurated if the bond issue is passed by the voters, will follow lines similar to that of the previous plan, now almost completed. Roads will be made between definite points, while, at the same time, no section of the state will be neglected. Routing details, as before, will be determined by state officials after public hearings.

Mr. Sheets declared that if the new bond issue is carried, Morgan county will eventually have hard roads amounting in cost to \$2,756,000.

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for the exhibits of swine and sheep, he awning for the grandstand, and a few flags. These were put in place again early Monday morning.

The good patronage of the fair on its opening day was a source of great satisfaction to the directors. The four special fair policemen were kept busy all day directing the traffic. Every available foot of concession space had been taken before the fair opened.

The Boy Scout "good turn" headquarters was in demand throughout the opening day. At this tent, parcels and articles of clothing are checked free of charge, and a "lost and found" service is maintained.

The Morgan County Farm Bureau had in its headquarters tent a supply of comfortable chairs, which are available for the use of visiting farmers. The bureau is keeping a register of visitors, and on the closing day of the fair will give away a carload of limestone.

The gates of the grounds are in charge of H. E. Kitner, who is assisted by Ernest Lair, Eugene Darr, Owen Graff, Bernard Camm and Robert LaRue. Tickets at the amusement concessions are being checked by Earl Hoover, Louis Gard, Crum Cleary, James Burke, Ellsworth Scott and Jack Benson.

The Races

The opening of the afternoon found the track still slightly muddy from the hard rain of Sunday, but volunteer autoists brought their cars on the track and circled around it until it was fairly well packed, although at the time the first heat was run the track was still slightly spongy and slow. The crowd was forced to wait until 2:45 for the completion of Frank Sheets' hard road speech and it was not until 2:55 that the horses began to take the track for the first heat of the 2:17 pace. In the first heat of this race Loppy Forbes drew the pole, and after scoring six times Judge Kirby sent them away to a fair start. Moore, Dr. J. W. Sperry's horse, went into a break at the first turn and was unable to catch up the distance in the heat which was fought out on close terms between Loppy Forbes and Johnny Todd. Loppy Forbes leading by a small margin in the first lap but losing the heat also by a small margin in the second lap, challenging Johnny Todd right up to the wire.

In the first heat of the 2:20 trot, Carolyn Watts drew the pole but went almost immediately into a bad break from which she never fully recovered, finishing a bad last. It looked like Bennie Dillon was slated for a walkaway in this heat but on the second lap Edna Mayo, an added starter, came up fast and Bennie Dillon was forced to extend himself to take the heat from the Concord mare.

This was as far as the racing program was allowed to go as a strong wind struck the grounds and the spectators who braved the wind were a short time later forced to leave on account of a heavy downpour of rain. With clear skies today, it is believed that the track program may be continued this afternoon, as a force of men will be put on the track this morning, if possible to work, getting the moisture worked out in time for the afternoon's races.

Summary

2:17 Pace—Johnny Todd, b. g., by Todd Mack. Dr. R. Valentine, Kane, Ill., (Valentine) won the heat; Loppy Forbes, b. g., by J. Malcolm Forbes, Claude Seely, White Hall, Ill., (Seely) second; Billy Smith, b. g., by Eleupur, Glover Sinclair, Jerseyville, Ill., (Gaffney), third; Moore, b. s. by Searchlight, Dr. J. W. Sperry, Jacksonville, Ill., (Sperry), fourth; Betty Green, b. m. by unknown, August Egelhoff, Jerseyville, Ill., (Egelhoff) fifth. Time of heat, 2:18 1-4.

2:20 Trot—Bennie Dillon, b. g., by unknown, C. R. Amos, White Hall, Ill., (Amos), won the heat; Edna Mayo, br. m. by unknown, H. G. Way, Concord, Ill., (Way) second; John, s. g., by Dr. Epalton, H. Denham, agent, White Hall, Ill., (Denham) third; Person, H. The 2nd, blk. m., by Red Cresum, S. W. Ray, Rushville, Ill., (Ray) fourth; Carolyn Watts, s. m. by unknown, Arch Campbell, Griggsville, Ill., (Campbell), fifth. Time of heat 2:19 1-2.

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Monday evening the Guy Baldwin company furnished a free entertainment, including a display of fireworks. The J. K. Pearson shows were also open, and did a big business. This company has a large number of attractions on the grounds, including a Big Elm wheel, manufactured in Jacksonville, and a merry-go-round.

The Sunday evening storm did no damage at the fair grounds except to blow down the large tent

#### MARRIED SUNDAY IN EASTERN CITY

Miss Marjorie Page of Douglas Manor, L. I., is Bride of Richard Reynolds—Will Come to Jacksonville Soon.

Richard Reynolds of this city and Miss Marjorie Page were united in marriage Sunday at Lake George, N. Y., the summer home of Miss Page's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Frank J. Page of Douglas Manor, Long Island. A telegram received yesterday by Mrs. Lella T. Reynolds made announcement of the wedding event.

The bride graduated at Centenary Collegiate Institute at Hackettstown, N. J., then spent two years at St. Mary's school at Rawleigh, N. C., and still another year at the New England Conservatory of Music. The family is prominent socially on Long Island and Mrs. Reynolds has been active in amateur dramatic affairs of the younger social set.

Mr. Reynolds' engagement to this young lady from the east was announced a number of months since and for several weeks past he has been a guest at the Page home at Lake George. Born in Jacksonville, Mr. Reynolds has spent all of his life here and has been prominent socially and in fraternal life. He has also taken part in political affairs, and is now serving as secretary of the Morgan County Democratic committee. For years he has been associated with his father, John G. Reynolds, in the ownership of the Reynolds Mortuary.

Mr. and Mrs. Reynolds are expected in Jacksonville in the course of a few days.

#### BOOKFELLOW CIRCLE WILL MEET TONIGHT

The Bookfellow circle of the Order of Bookfellow will meet at the public library this evening at seven o'clock. A brief literary program will be given, followed by the election of officers for the year, and discussion of final plans for the lecture on "Literature versus Reading Matter" which George Steele Seymour of Chicago is to give, under Bookfellow auspices at the public library next Sunday afternoon at 2:30.

It is possible that an advance copy of "Jacksonville Poets: 1825-1925" will be available for inspection at this meeting.

VISITOR IN CITY  
C. W. Lent, of Fort Wayne, Ind., formerly of Jacksonville, was a business man in the city yesterday. Mr. Lent is associated with the Mutual Life of Illinois with headquarters at Springfield.

#### BIG DANCE NICHOL'S PARK WEDNESDAY NIGHT



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